



## NOISE VARIANCE REQUIREMENTS

- 1) Applications for a Noise Variance Permit should be submitted at least two (2) weeks prior to the proposed event. Applications are available online through the [City of Norman Business & Citizen Self-Portal](#). If the proposed Noise Variance is part of a Special Event, the application can be completed as part of the event application. Please review the Special Event guidelines here: <https://www.normanok.gov/residents-visitors/host-special-event>
- 2) No more than seven (7) Noise Variance Permits will be approved at the same premises or location, with the exception of public parks, per calendar year.
- 3) No variance for entertainment or recreational purposes shall be permitted earlier than 7:00 am or later than 11:00 pm Sunday through Thursday and 12:00 am (midnight) on Friday and Saturday.
- 4) Noise Variance Permits where two or more outside activities will occur within 500 feet of one another on the same date and time will not be issued if the events are in conflict with one another.
- 5) Noise Variance Permits may be revoked by, or at the direction of any commissioned supervisor of the Norman Police Department, or by another authorized City employee if violations of any City Ordinance occur at the location for which the Noise Variance Permit is issued. Permits will ordinarily be revoked in the event of the following violations:
  - Uncorrected or repeated violation of the noise level permitted.
  - Consumption or possession of alcoholic beverages by persons under 21 years old.
  - Intoxicated persons on the premises.
  - Narcotics use on the premises.
  - Disturbing the peace by fighting on the premises.
  - Persistent citizen complaints of disturbing the peace caused by the noise source.

A written report will be submitted by the official revoking the permit documenting the justification for revocation. Any location which has a Noise Variance Permit revoked or at which one or more of the violations enumerated above has resulted in the filing of criminal charges shall not be issued another permit for a minimum of 6 months.